

## Grand Jury Returns 9 Indictments And Recommends Repairs At Court House And Jail

The Grand Jury in session at Elba last Monday and Tuesday, February 17 and 18, returned 9 indictments, five being for felonies and four for misdemeanors. The body also made a number of other recommendations, and for the benefit of our readers we are printing the full report below:

"We, the Grand Jury empaneled by Your Honor on Monday, February 17, 1947, wish to submit this as our final report.

We have investigated eighteen presentments and herewith submit to Your Honor 9 indictments, consisting of five felonies and four misdemeanors.

We have examined the County Buildings and find them generally to be in a fair state of repair. Our observation revealed that the public toilets in the Courthouse are in a deplorable condition, in fact, in such condition that they are a violation of the Public Health Laws. It is recommended that the fixtures in said toilets be replaced by new and modern equipment, and that they be recommended to comply with the Public Health Laws. In the event this repair cannot be done in the immediate future, it is suggested that said toilets be closed and locked until repairs can be made. It was also found that the floor in the Clerk's office is badly in need of repair. We suggest that such repairs be made.

An inspection of the Jail disclosed the premises to be in good repair with the exception of the fact that said building needs repainting on the outside and inside, and that the windows need repainting. We found the Jail to be sanitary and adequately kept. It is suggested that the grounds of the Courthouse Square be filled in and leveled to prevent the standing of water thereon. It was discovered from an inspection of the Office of the Superintendent of Education that they have no place to store school books under their charge. It is suggested that the County Commissioners cooperate with the Superintendent of Education in providing a place for storage of the books. It is recommended that Venetian Blinds be supplied for the

Probate Office in order to assure adequate light.

We have examined the various County offices, including the bonds and books and records of said offices, and find them neatly kept, and handled in a commendable fashion. Our investigation disclosed that during the last six years the deficit of Coffee County has been reduced by a figure of \$338,000.00. We commend the officials responsible for making this reduction possible.

It is noted that the Honor Roll placed on the sign on the North-west corner of the Square, is in bad condition. We recommend that the proper authorities cooperate with the various civic clubs interested in finding a permanent place to erect a new Honor Roll. We express our thanks to Your Honor for your able charge. We also thank the Sheriff and the Bailiff for their courteous attendance during our session.

And now, having completed our labors, we ask to be recessed, pending the further orders of the Court. This, Feb. 18, 1947. T. B. BRYAN, Foreman.

### FORMAL OPENING OF NEW JEWELRY STORE IS SET FOR FRIDAY EVENING

Formal opening of Elba's newest business enterprise is set for Friday beginning at five o'clock and continuing to nine. This smart, new jewelry store has been named "The Jewel Box" by the owners Sony Inman and Dozier Roberts. The store will carry a complete line of fine jewelry of every kind, and included in their stocks will be products of many nationally known manufacturers.

They have an announcement in this issue, and attention is also called to the congratulatory page adv from business men of the city. The public is invited to attend the formal opening. The store will be opened for business Saturday morning. It is announced that they will have a complete repair department in connection with the store.

Mrs. Corrine English is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Bonneau.

## Starting Off Right

Many people believe in the old adage: "A Good Beginning Makes A Good Ending." We don't know about that, but we do know that a good safe way to transact business is through a bank account. Start right now to use the many business services that are offered through your home bank. Your money will be safe here, too.

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### AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERSHIP DRIVE TO CLOSE THIS WEEK

Ottis L. Cooper, State Commander of The American Legion, announced the beginning of a state-wide membership drive on Feb. 10th, to extend through the month of February. Mr. Louis F. Inman, Commander, will lead the drive in Elba.

1946 Legionnaires who have not renewed their 1947 membership, as well as veterans of both wars, are invited to contact their Commander. During 1946 the Alabama Department had the largest membership in its history—nearly 54,000—and expectations for 1947 are that the membership will exceed 100,000.

### Classified Advertising

If you want to buy, sell, swap, rent or locate lost property, try an adv. in this column.

WANTED: Single man for work on farm; will pay good wages. See or write Fred Redmon, Route 1, Kingston, Ala. 1-27

FOR SALE: 1940 2-door Pontiac; new paint job, heater and Radio. Will sell or trade for good pickup 1/2-ton truck. Phone 226, Bob Folsom, Elba. 1-27

BABY CHICKS: Get New Price List and Save Money. WORTH-WHILE CHICKS, 101 W. North Ave., Baltimore 1, Md. 1-10-47

WANTED: Several milk cows, must be good milkers. See or write J. N. Wallace, New Brockton, Alabama. 1-20-27

Radios and Radio Combinations; see Brantley Furniture Co. John B. Wise.

STRAY PIG: Been at my place since middle of November; owner can get pig by describing and paying expenses. Claude Bailey, Rt. 2, Elba, Ala. 1-27-m6

LOST: Milk cow and heifer believed running together. Dehorned very light color cow, weight around 600 lbs. Heifer light red about to freshen, weight about 550 lbs. Last seen Feb. 7.—For reward notify John D. Rogers or Ray Richards, Rt. 1, New Brockton, near Goodman. 1-27

For Iron Beds, come to Brantley Furniture Co.

FOR SALE: 200 tons choice Timothy or Clover or mixed Hay. Immediate delivery. Harry Ball, Fairfield, Iowa. 1-20-27-m6

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OPENINGS NOW FOR PICKED MEN. GOOD PAY AND EXPENSES: If you can measure up to the standards of the peacetime Regular Army, you now have an unusual opportunity. By enlisting for 3 years you can choose one of the famous fighting divisions now on occupation duty in Japan and Korea.

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Mr. James Wilson of the New Hope community, on recommendations of the County Agent, planted trail patches of hybrid corn to be grazed off. Mr. Wilson was so well pleased with the results from this project that he plans on increasing his hybrid corn acres this year.

Mr. W. C. McCollough has planned to construct a fish pond on his farm. Says he may build two. More fish means varieties of meat for his table. At present, he is producing beef, and the agent saw some nice shoats around his barn.

Farmers and especially veterans who are building or planning on building are urged to take advantage of the service available through the county and home agent's office.

Information and plans are available on houses, barns, all out buildings, storage, heating, wiring, landscaping, on fence construction, gates, and many other useful items needed on the farm.

The War Assets Administration plans to the County Agent's office all notices of available surplus material. These sale notices are filed for reference and are available to veterans, farmers, and others who wish to check the listing of materials, the conditions, the cost, and the location of same. Also, information as priority and purchasing supplies are attached.

### SWEET POTATOES

Mr. P. O. Smith is receiving a premium for his cured sweet potatoes. These potatoes were created in the field when harvested and cured on the farm in a small one-room house. A heater was used for heat. Holes were cut in the walls which could be closed, improving the appearance of all homes, tenants or owners, in each community.

Farmers interested in producing sweet potatoes for home use or commercially should see your county agent for recommendations as to varieties, fertilization, cultivation and diseases.

### WINTER DAMAGE

Farmers are being asked to report what effect the cold winds and freezing weather are having on their blue lupine.

Much of the seed rot, which is the most common cause of poor stands of peanuts in Alabama, may be controlled by seed treatment according to results of the Agricultural Experiment Station, A. P. L., reported in its latest publication released for growers.

The leaflet, No. 23, "Seed Treatment for Peanuts," summarized results from four years' experiments with treating planting seed with various chemical compounds now available on the market, value of treatment of machine-shelled seed, when to treat, how to treat, and what seed treatment does.

The publication is authored by Dr. Coyt Wilson, plant pathologist of the Station staff, who conducted the experiment work. Copies of this leaflet may be obtained free from your County Agent. You may call by the office or write for one. Mr. Robinson says that he will never plant another peanut without treating.

"Fire, as well as the common cold, thrive on these raw winter days," county agent, J. R. Speed, said today, warning farmers in this area to use great care with all heating units in homes, barns, and outbuildings, and to take proper precautions to prevent conflagrations.

Mr. Speed said fire losses, particularly in rural areas, reach their peak when temperatures go down and heaters are pushed to maintain adequate warmth inside buildings.

In cold weather, stoves often become overheated. Farmers should prevent nearby beams from scorching and make sure the stove pipes are free from soot. Crops and other material which might

## Red Cross Fund Drive Starts March 1; Runs Through Month; Committees Are Named

JAMES P. CAIN IS WITH THE 8TH ARMY NOW IN SOUTHERN JAPAN

With the Eighth Army in Korea, Kyushu, Japan,—Feb. 7.—Private James P. Cain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cain, Route 4, Elba, has recently been assigned to the 83rd Field Artillery Battalion, a unit within the 24th Infantry Division. The 24th, known also as the "Victory" Division, is now occupying the entire island of Kyushu, southernmost and third largest of the Japanese home group.

Private Cain entered the Army on October 1, 1946, at Fort McClellan, Alabama, and prior to overseas shipment, received basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Upon his arrival in the 24th Division area, Cain found many improvement projects under construction. In an effort to make life overseas equal to that of a soldier stationed in the United States, the "Victory" Division has furnished its men with modern living quarters, the best recreational and amusement facilities available.

### TWO GUARD OFFICERS RECEIVED FEDERAL RECOGNITION AT DOTHAN

Dothan, Ala., Feb. 22.—Lieutenant—Colonel Francis Parriss, of Elba, and Major Jack Parsons, of Dothan, have been Federally recognized by the War Department as officers in the 93rd Field Artillery Battalion, of the Alabama National Guard.

Farris was previously designated commanding officer of the unit and Parsons executive officer by the adjutant general of Alabama. Both officers have long periods of war-time service. The 93rd Battalion was among the first units in the State to become re-organized.

The friends, relatives and acquaintances regret to learn that the condition of Mr. W. M. Brunson remains unchanged, and Tuesday night he was still in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Murphree visited relatives in Enterprise Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. McDowell has returned home after a visit of some length to her daughter, Mrs. Howard McClellan and Mr. McClellan in Monticello, Fla.

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Now therefore, G. W. Clark, the mortgagee and owner of said note and mortgage, will sell under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, between 11 o'clock, P. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., on the 7th day of March, 1947, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door of Coffee County, in the town of Elba, Alabama, the real estate embraced in said mortgage described substantially as follows:

One five-room dwelling situated on lots No. 19-20 known as our home in the Atkins Addition in the Town of Kinston, Alabama.

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## MUSIC LOVERS' CLUB MET IN KENDRICK HOME

The February program of the Elba Music Lovers' Club was presented on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. T. D. Kendrick, with Mrs. R. L. Cooper and Mrs. Charles Rowe, co-hostesses.

The reception rooms were most attractive in decoration of early spring flowers. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. A. C. Dunaway, president, who conducted a short business session, during which two new members were unanimously elected.

Mrs. Kendrick was Program Chairman for the afternoon and gave an interesting paper on the "Life of Brahms"; "Cradle Songs of Brahms" sung by Ann Dunaway and Jean Windham, guest artists, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Perdue, was well rendered and much enjoyed; "Master Lesson on the Brahms Rhapsody" read by Mrs. J. C. Fleming was very interesting; Choral practice followed during which the hostesses served a delectable salad course with an iced fruit drink to the club members and several visitors.

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After all, it's the examination that counts. Correct, scientific examination of your eyes is the ONLY way to determine whether or not you need glasses.

My knowledge in fitting glasses, gained through years of practice, has given me a State-wide reputation. Among your relatives and acquaintances you will find somebody who will tell you how satisfactory my work is.

Because I specialize in this work only—scientific examination and proper fitting of glasses—you are assured of complete satisfaction.

## TWICE EACH MONTH

I am at Whitman Drug Company in Elba the First Wednesday and again on the Third Sunday Afternoon of each month.

DR. S. A. BARSON

OPTOMETRIST

402-3 First National Bank — Montgomery, Alabama

## Go to Church Sunday.

## CHURCH RELIEF FROM SYMPTOMS OF DISTRESS ARISING FROM STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID

Free Book Tells of Home Treatment that Must Help or It Will Cost You Nothing

Over two million bottles of the WILLARD TREATMENT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers due to Excess Acid—Poor Digestion, Sour or Bitter Stomach, Gas, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, etc. due to Excess Acid. Sold on 15 days' trial. Ask for "Willard's Message" which fully explains this treatment—free—At Whitman Drug Company

## Grateful Housing Victim

A Los Angeles appliance dealer reports that a victim of the housing situation left a thank you note and a dollar bill after sleeping several nights in an empty refrigerator case at the rear of his store.

## Hybrid Yield

Three-fourths of the 1945 corn crop came from only two-thirds of the acreage planted to corn. The reason: This acreage was in hybrid seed.

## Destroying Sandspurs

A lawn or other area may be cleared of sandspurs by destroying the pest plants before they go to seed or by turning the soil to a depth of about eight inches.

## CONSCIOUS

effort, combined with moderate cost, is appreciated by the public

## Hayes Funeral Home

Hearse and Ambulance Service

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NEW RADIOS — BATTERIES — TUBES  
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BUY ON EASY TERMS — PAY WEEKLY  
Reasonable Prices — All Work Guaranteed

### Just Received

SHIPMENT OF THESE HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES. GIVE US YOUR ORDER NOW BEFORE THEY ARE GONE.

— Viking Oil Heaters  
— Electric Space Heaters  
— Universal Toastmaster  
— Universal Pressure Cooker  
(2 Quart and 4 Quart)  
— ALSO RADIOS IN STOCK  
In next few days expect Deep Freeze Unit. Place Order Now

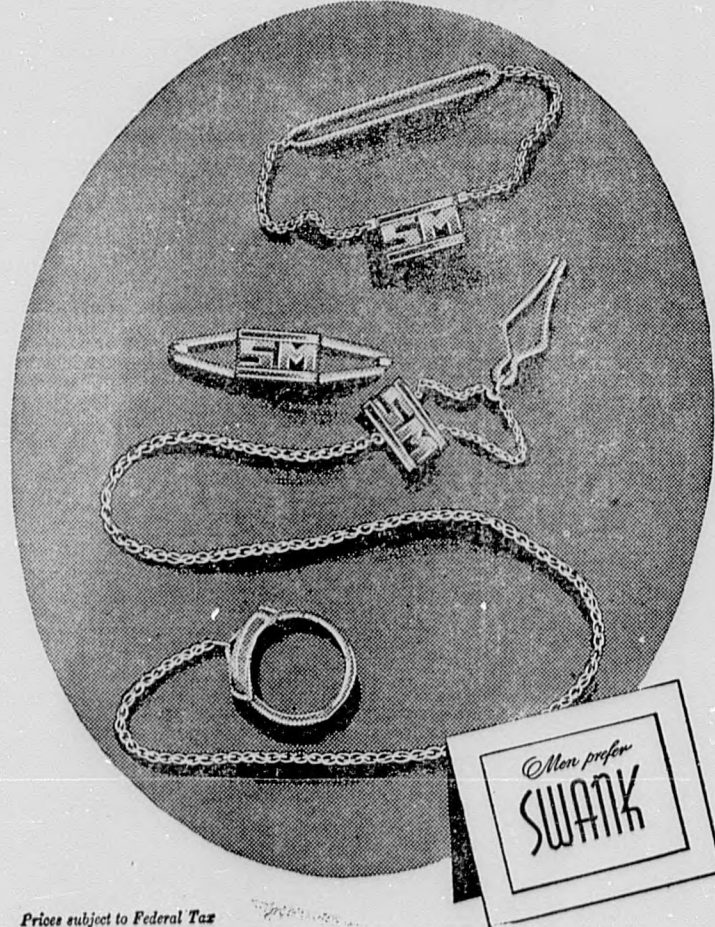
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### Letter Perfect

The SWANK style and craftsmanship favored by all men, individualized by Duo-gram initials to please one especially. A trio of smooth-looking accessories that make a practically perfect gift.

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Grant Chain \$1.50 Tie Clip \$1.50  
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### Forest Management Pays Big Dividends

The forest income of Coffee county could be increased by better forest management. How many farmers think of keeping the best cotton grown for home use? If a farmer needs cotton for house use they use the last picking, and the best cotton for the higher prices.

The same thing is true of timber, a good tree will bring more money on the market than a crooked or decayed one. Black jack oak, crooked pines and all diseased trees should be used for fuel wood on the farm. When these trees are cut it helps the forest in two ways.

1. The good tree left has a better chance to grow. It gets the strength of the soil that two were getting.

2. It gives a chance for the young trees of better quality to come in the opening made by cutting the low quality trees.

One thing the timber grower should keep in mind at all times, pine timber is our best seller. Only times like we have seen for the past five years will show quality hardwoods sell at a good price.

In cutting timber this should be kept in mind and enough good pines be left on the land to reseed the area. Four to eight trees per acre will supply enough seed to get a good stand of seedlings. These seed trees are not a loss to the timber grower after the area is seeded and the young trees begin to grow the seed trees can be cut and sold. This method is much cheaper and safer for the timber than planting seedlings by hand.

Coffee county has improved its quality of all crops in the past ten years. The county grows better cotton, corn, and hay and better live stock of all kinds. The county not only produces better quality crops of all kinds but it makes more per acre, more than any time in the history of the county. The same can be done in the forest of Coffee county. It will take time as it has with other crops. Until we have improved the forest as other crops have been improved we have something to work for.

In 1942 we had a production of about 12,000,000 board feet. The income from timber sales and labor was about one half million dollars that year. The acreage we had in timber and the good growing conditions it is possible to double this income and volume per year. This can be done by fire protection and good cutting methods.

The best method to use in marketing timber is to mark and cut selectively. This way the grower has a chance to leave the better quality young growing trees. In selling timber this way the seller and buyer each know the number of trees by kinds and the volume of each. It will leave the area in shape for another cut within ten years. This keeps saw mill operators in business and the other timber grower, too.

The Division of Forestry is glad to help with any timber management job the grower has. We have marked several small tracts for cutting. The saw mill operator and the growers were both satisfied with the tracts after they were marked.

Discuss your factory problems with your District Forester, Box 392, Union Springs, Alabama, or Forest Ranger W. J. Conway, Elba, Alabama.

Wood Ranges, 6 Eyes with white porcelain finish. See or call Brantley Furniture Co.

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Carman Miranda, Vivian Blaine and Perry Como

FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE  
Faye Marlowe - Richard Crane  
—In—  
"JOHNNY COMES FLYING HOME"  
Also  
Bob Steele  
—In—  
"THUNDER TOWN  
Serial and Comedy

SATURDAY—ALL DAY  
Sunset Carson  
—In—  
"RED RIVER  
RENEGADES"  
Serial and Comedy

SATURDAY—LATE SHOW  
Paul Kelley - Kent Taylor  
—In—  
"DEAD LINE FOR MURDER  
Western - Serial

SUNDAY AND MONDAY  
Randolph Scott - Ann Dvorak  
—In—  
"ABILENE TOWN"  
Serial and Comedy

TUESDAY ONLY  
"HEAVENLY DAYS"  
Starring  
Fibber McGee and Molly

FOR SALE: 2 Perfection Oil Stoves; been used but in good condition. Call John R. Wise at Brantley Furniture Company, Brantley, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Lander Carleton and children and Mrs. C. S. West, of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, of Opp, were guests during the week end of Mrs. John M. Bonneau and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan were visitors to Troy and Montgomery last Thursday.

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Mrs. Sara Carnley, who is with the Department of Industrial Relations in Montgomery came home for the week end.

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"A Modern Treasure Chest"

Friday, February 28, 5 P. M. To 9 P. M.

INSPIRATION SET



S-100.....\$50.00

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Expert Watch Repairing  
All Types of Crystals Replaced  
ALL NEW EQUIPMENT

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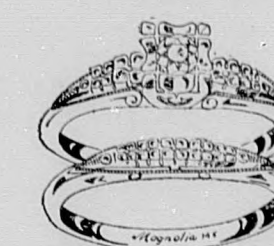
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Home Owned and Operated  
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Weiner Soup  
When you serve frankfurters for  
the main dish at dinner, serve one  
or two. For a tasty luncheon dish  
next day, slice the frankfurters and  
add to bowls of split pea soup.

Cookery Hint  
In a meat loaf recipe which calls  
for ground pork in combination with  
other ground meat, bulk pork sausage  
may be substituted for the  
ground pork.

First Life Policy  
The earliest known life insurance  
policy was issued in 1583. It fol-  
lowed strictly the form of marine  
insurance, which had been in com-  
mon use since the Middle Ages.

Conservation Prac-  
tices Approved

Collis R. Wise, chairman of the  
Coffee County PMA Committee  
has announced that the State  
Committee has approved their rec-  
ommendations for the following  
local conservation practices:  
Establishing a satisfactory cover  
of small grains or rye grass seed  
ed in fall or 1947 and the growth  
not harvested for grain or hay.  
The payment for small grains is  
two cents per pound and the pay-  
ment rate for rye grass is nine  
cents per pound.

Mr. Wise states that he feels  
"there has long been a definite  
need for this practice" and urges  
all farmers to take advantage of  
this offer. You should see your  
local community committeeman or  
county PMA office for details.

W. F. Baker states that there  
is more interest in Crop Insurance  
being shown by farmers than in  
any previous year since Crop In-  
surance has been offered. The  
closing date for taking applica-  
tions is March 15. You should  
make sure your investment in your  
1947 crop is insured before it is  
too late.

HERE'S HOW CROP IN-  
SURANCE PROGRAM APPLIES  
TO FARM

Jim Farmer rents land in Coffee  
county. In 1947 he plans to plant  
11 acres in cotton. Jim's normal  
crop runs about one-half bale to  
the acre.

He doesn't think of insurance as  
an investment, but rather as pro-  
tection on the money he's going to  
have tied up in the crop. He fig-  
ures that the total cost, including  
rent, will run about \$30.00 an acre.

He finds out that he can take  
out a 84-pound, 126 pound or 157  
pound policy at a cost of only  
13 pounds per acre.

In the Spring Jim plants his 11  
acres of cotton and everything  
goes pretty good until July. The  
boll weevil and heavy rains al-  
most cause him to lose the crop.  
Jim does have a few bolls left  
though, so at harvest time he

picks over his cotton and finds  
out that 60 pounds per acre is all  
he's going to harvest.

One hundred twenty-six pounds  
lint cotton will give Jim about  
\$34.00 guaranteed income per acre.  
Total cost on the cotton crop was  
\$30.00, plus \$3.51 for insurance or  
a total of \$33.51 per acre. Thus  
by having insurance Jim not only  
broke even, but had \$5.00 left  
over. If Jim hadn't taken out  
insurance, he would have lost  
about \$18.00 per acre on his cotton  
crop. Multiply this by 11 acres  
and you see that crop insurance  
save Jim from going in the hole  
\$200.00.

The average cotton yield in Coffee  
county is 213 pounds per acre.  
This means that the average farm-  
er in Coffee county can get a pro-  
tection policy of 126 pounds at a  
cost of 13 pounds lint. Putting  
it another way, the average Coffee  
county farmer can get "in-  
vestment protection" crop insur-  
ance for approximately 6 per cent  
of the normal cotton crop.

The premium Jim Farmer pays  
is an operating expense that would  
be deductible from his income tax  
return.

.....  
The Cotton Crop Insurance sell-  
ing campaign is beginning to get  
underway. Federal Crop Insurance  
covers all unavoidable hazards.  
The farm families standard of  
living is protected because the  
farmer has an assurance of some  
return, even though his crop might  
be destroyed. Crop insurance is a  
non-profit cooperative venture and  
farmers who are more fortunate in  
one year help those who have  
not been so fortunate and have  
lost their crops. The added ex-  
pense of crop insurance is negli-  
gible, but income protection is  
most necessary in poor years.  
Most every one carries fire pro-  
tection with scarcely a loss yet  
more complete or partial losses  
are actualities in the production  
of cotton than ever occurs in the  
destruction of personal property  
by fire.

Crop insurance premiums are  
operating expenses and as such are  
deductible for income tax purposes  
and thus the amount of the prem-  
iums would be reduced.

Why not have that safe feeling  
during a rainy season. Have com-  
plete protection on your invest-  
ment. See your County PMA  
Office for more information.

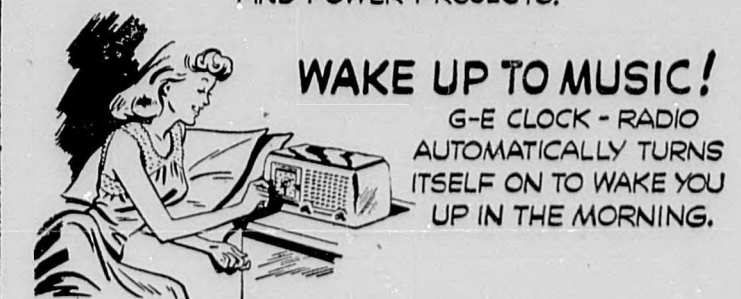
Sparkling Glassware  
An added sparkle in glassware  
can be obtained if a few drops of  
ammonia and bluing are added to  
warm soapsuds.

Hawaiian Language  
Although the Hawaiian language  
has only 12 letters and only 40 syl-  
lables, it contains more than 20,000  
words.

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MAN-MADE SNOWFALL!  
WITHIN TWO MINUTES, GENERAL ELECTRIC  
SCIENTISTS TURNED A 3-MILE CLOUD INTO SNOW  
BY DROPPING A FEW POUNDS OF DRY ICE PELLETS  
FROM AN AIRPLANE. THIS DISCOVERY MAY POINT  
THE WAY TO STORING UP WATER FOR IRRIGATION  
AND POWER PROJECTS.

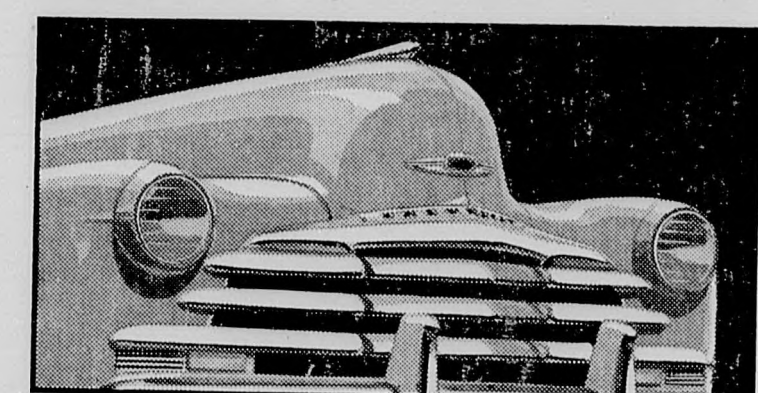


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G-E CLOCK - RADIO  
AUTOMATICALLY TURNS  
ITSELF ON TO WAKE YOU  
UP IN THE MORNING.

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LIFE!  
LIFELONG INCOMES  
BEYOND SOCIAL  
SECURITY ARE  
PAID UNDER  
AMENDED G-E  
PENSION PLAN.

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and LOWEST-PRICED  
LINE in its field!

BIG-CAR QUALITY  
AT LOWEST COST

TODAY—when America most urgently  
needs sound values to assist every  
phase of the economy, from high produc-  
tion to high purchasing power, and from  
full enterprise to full employment—prices  
of new Chevrolet passenger car models  
start lower and finish lower than those  
of any other car in their price range!  
Moreover, this newest Chevrolet creates  
the new high standard of Big-Car  
beauty—Big-Car comfort—Big-Car per-  
formance—at lowest all-round cost to you  
in purchase price, operation and upkeep!  
Again, the men and women of America are  
discovering that value leadership rides  
with Chevrolet, which alone offers BIG-  
CAR QUALITY AT LOWEST COST.

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acres of cotton and everything  
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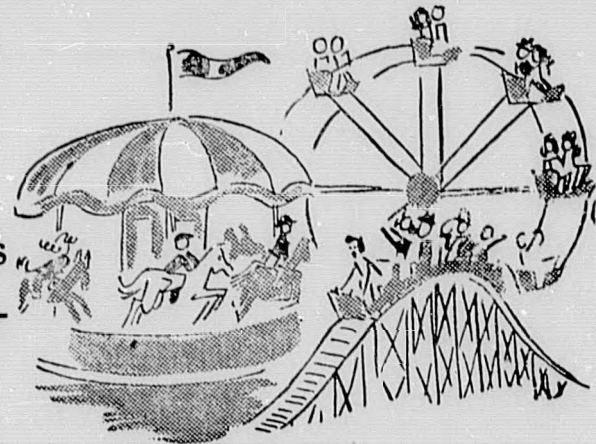


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Presents His  
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In a Spring Festival Opening  
At ELBA, ALA.  
Starting at 10:00 A. M.  
Saturday, March 1, Thru Sat., March 8

FEATURING  
**"THE EXCELLOS"**  
[FREE ACT NIGHTLY] performing their Aerial  
Act, 135 feet in the air, without a net.  
"Happy" Jack Davis and His "Cotton  
Club Revue"

10 RIDES  
10 SHOWS

and 35 high class  
Merchandise Con-  
cessions.



#### SHOWS:

10 In 1 — Monkey — Snake — Ani-  
mal — Illusion — Minstrel — Hol-  
lywood Revue — Kiddie Land and  
Fun House.

The Show Is Sponsored by  
THE ELBA FIRE DEPARTMENT

LOCATION: Blue Lot, One Block  
From The Courthouse.

Special Children's Matinee  
SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 1 to 5  
Half Price To All School Children



#### FOUR TRAINING SCHOOLS HELD FOR 4-H OFFICERS

Four training schools were con-  
ducted during the last week in  
January for newly elected 4-H  
Club officers in the County. The  
schools were held at New Hope,  
Zion Chapel, Goodman and Curtis,  
and were attended by officers of  
clubs in those schools and sur-  
rounding schools. A total of some

195 officers from 40 boys and girls  
4-H clubs were present at these  
meetings during the week.

One half day was spent in train-  
ing at each school. The meetings  
consisted of one general session,  
four special instruction group  
meetings, and one routine club  
meeting in which new officers  
demonstrated correct parliamen-  
tary procedure. Special groups  
were instructed by W. T. Kennedy

and J. L. Thompson, assistant  
farm agents, Miss Mamie B. Math-  
ews, home demonstration agent,  
and Miss Inez Green, assistant  
home agent.

Special attentions were shown  
these 4-H groups at both New  
Hope and Goodman. At New Hope  
the officers were served a special  
luncheon with the compliments of  
Mr. Sterling Willoughby and the  
entire school.

While at Goodman the officers  
enjoyed refreshments at mid  
morning. They were prepared  
and served by Mr. Locklar, 4-H  
local leaders and 4-H club mem-  
bers of Goodman school.

#### Milk A Cleaner

Skim milk is a good cleaner for  
paper lampshades. While water  
softens and may break or damage  
the paper, milk does not pene-  
trate paper readily and slips over  
the surface carrying soil with it.  
First, dust the shade with a soft  
clean cloth, brush, or hand vacu-  
um cleaner. Then sponge the sur-  
face very lightly with a cloth dip-  
ped in milk. The milk should  
not stand on the shade or moisten  
the glue.

Go to Church Sunday.

#### 4-H Meetings

A joint meeting of the Boys  
and Girls' Senior 4-H clubs was  
held in the Junior III Classroom  
of New Hope Junior High School  
on Friday, February 7.

The demonstration lesson was  
on "Safety in the Home" and  
cleverly presented in the form of  
a play. Taking part in the demon-  
stration was Kaye Lewis, Druette  
Killingsworth, and Jimmy Dean  
Jordan.

The club had a distinguished  
visitor T. A. Sims, of Auburn, who  
was introduced by the president,  
Joe Horace Loftt. Mr. Sims, who is  
prominent in State 4-H Club work,  
gave an enthusiastic talk that was  
quite an inspiration to all the club  
members.

Other program features were  
vocal duets rendered by Angela  
Pittman and Betsy Ann Wilson, and  
some clever games and stunts di-  
rected by Doris Evelyn Ward.

The county farm and home

demonstration agents, Miss Inez  
Green, and W. T. Kennedy, were  
present. In attendance also were  
the local leaders, Mrs. Jimmie P.  
Prestwood and J. S. Willoughby.  
Jimmie Wilson  
Dwelle D. Graywold  
Reporters.

The Goodman 4-H Club met  
jointly, boys and girls, February  
10, 1947. The meeting was called  
to order with President Bobby  
Bowden presiding. Leon Barnes,  
Colman Helms, and Eleanor Wil-  
son, the song leaders, led two  
songs. There were 62 members  
present. The roll was called by  
Laura Jean Wilson and Tommie  
Johnson. Then the club was turned  
over to the people who gave the  
demonstration. They were — Carol  
Dene Cochran, Tommie Johnson,  
Harold Glisson. For recreation the  
club sang a few new songs.

Betty Walls  
Senior Reporter

Go To Church Sunday.

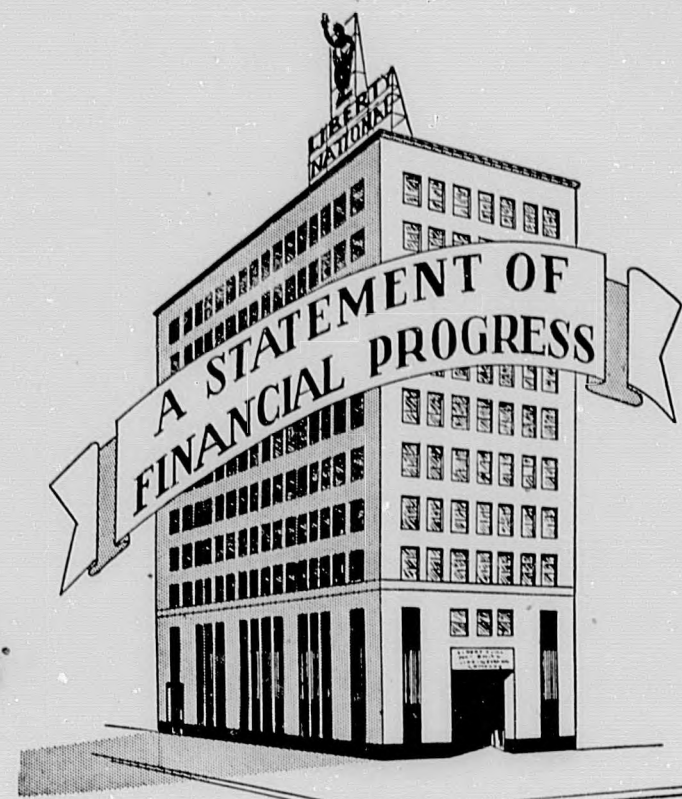
Increase Heating Capacity  
Bulbin fireplace circulators can  
increase the heating capacity, but  
do not replace central heating sys-  
tems.

Long State  
Illinois is a long state, extending  
from 37 degrees latitude in the south  
to approximately 42 degrees and 30  
seconds in the extreme north.

## The Harmony Boys

AT VICTORIA FRIDAY NIGHT,  
MARCH 7th  
FOR BENEFIT OF SCHOOL  
If You Want To Hear Good Singing — — —  
DON'T MISS IT!  
Admission—30c and 60c

1946



1946

Total Insurance in Force

**\$421,893,112.00**

Insurance in Force Increased  
During the Year **\$61,440,486.00**

TOTAL  
RESOURCES **\$44,018,985.18**

Resources Increased During  
the Year **\$8,901,897.71**

#### RESOURCES

At Dec. 31, 1946

Cash	\$ 2,668,161.20
U. S. Government Bonds	17,207,834.54
Other Bonds	4,116,054.54
Stocks	908,452.79
F. H. A. Insured Mortgages	8,918,711.83
Other First Mortgages	8,277,066.31
Policy Loans	901,052.72
Home Office Properties	401,180.49
Other Real Estate	39,100.34
Premiums in Course of Collection	127,470.14
Interest & Rents Due & Accrued	125,561.02
Other Assets	328,339.26

TOTAL RESOURCES **\$44,018,985.18**

#### ALLOCATION OF RESOURCES

Taxes & Miscellaneous Liabilities	\$ 654,545.91
Held in Trust for Policyholders	38,463,880.76
Employee's Retirement Reserve	365,176.36
Capital & Surplus for Additional Protection of Policy- holders	4,535,382.14

TOTAL **\$44,018,985.18**

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FOR SALE: 2 Perfection Oil Stoves; been used but in good condition. Call John R. Wise at Brantley Furniture Company, Brantley, Ala.

Mrs. Arkey Johnson who has been ill in Brantley hospital at Troy for two weeks, has been brought home and is now with her daughter, Mrs. Maxwell Reeves and Mr. Reeves in West Elba.

Land Rent Notes, 2 for 5c at Clipper Office.

Misses Jule Bradley and Martha Frances Dowling attended a 3-day conference of child welfare workers in Montgomery last week.

Mrs. J. T. Young, Mrs. B. W. Ingram, Mrs. Ferrel Young and son, Joe, were visitors to Dothan, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Colen Whitman visited Mrs. Whitman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rowell, in Dozier Sunday.

## BAPTIST CIRCLES HAD JOINT MEETING

Circles One and Two of the Baptist W. M. S. held a business meeting on February 3 at three o'clock in the Baraca Room. The President, Mrs. John M. Kimmey gave the devotionals using for her scripture the 25th chapter of Matthew. Prayer by Mrs. E. G. Bragg.

Minutes of the January meeting were read and adopted. Reports of Officers: Mrs. O. M. Fox reporting on Young People; Mrs. J. A. Carnley reporting on Community Missions; and Mrs. Arthur Boutwell reporting on Literature.

The meeting closed with the Watchword. There were 17 members present—Mrs. J. W. Moody, Secretary.

PLAY AT GOODMAN

The Goodman Baptist church is sponsoring a play "The Womanless Wedding" to be given Friday night, Feb. 21. Proceeds will go for painting the church. Small admission will be charged—adv.

Chrome Dinette Suites with porcelain top, Brantley Furniture Company.

Mrs. C. T. Corley (Totter Bryan) of Chrysothal, Canal Zone, arrived in Elba Monday, after a plane trip as far as Jacksonville, Fla. Mrs. Corley will be guest of her mother, Mrs. Ida Bryan, for a month.

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Bradley, of New Brockton, attended the recent revival services in Elba. Brother Bradley preached several times, and had charge of the young people's service held each evening at 6:30. He did a marvelous work, says the beloved pastor, Rev. W. M. Sprules.

Mrs. Ralph Barr and son, Ronnie, returned to their home in Atlanta last Saturday. Mrs. Barr was called to Elba on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Arkey Johnson.

Mrs. Beulah Parker is visiting relatives in Elba this week. She makes her home in New York with her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Worthington.

Mrs. William Bullard and Mrs. Edd Hatcher went to New Orleans last Thursday for a visit with relatives and to attend marital gras.

Army Range for wood or coal; desirable for Cafe or lunch room. Brantley Furniture Company.

RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION!

## THE ELBA THEATRE WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—LAST DAY

John Loder  
—In—  
"THE WIFE OF MONTE CRISTO"  
News and Comedy

FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE

William Bendix and Joan Blondell  
—In—  
"DON JUAN GUILLIGAN"  
Also  
Kirby Grant, Fuzzy Knight  
—In—  
"RUSTLERS ROUND UP"

SATURDAY—ALL DAY

Roy Rogers, Dale Evans  
Gaby Hayes  
—In—  
"UNDER NEVADA SKIES"  
Serial and Comedy

SATURDAY—LATE SHOW

Thomas Mitchell and Robert Rhyme  
—In—  
WITHIN THESE WALLS  
Western - Serial

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Robert Young and Dorothy McGuire  
—In—  
"CLAUDIA AND DAVID"

TUESDAY ONLY

"THE STRANGE TRIANGLE"  
Starring  
John Shepperd, and Signe Hasso  
Comedies

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

"SOMETHING FOR THE BOYS"  
Starring  
Carmen Miranda, Michele O'Shea, Vivian Blaine

Coming, Sunday - Monday

"ABILENE TOWN"

Mr. Dick Kallgren, of Berlin, Conn., spent several days last week as guest of Mrs. O. Dowling and daughters.

Wood Ranges, 6 Eyes with white porcelain finish. See or call Brantley Furniture Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Campbell, of Montgomery, announce the arrival of Mary Irene on February 14 at St. Margaret's hospital. Mrs. Campbell is the former, Jeanette Lubert.

H. H. (Bus) Hawkins is improving after an illness of a few days.

Major and Mrs. Ben Mathis and two lovely daughters, of Chicopee Falls, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Mathis and Mr. and Mrs. Harold English for several weeks.

Mrs. Mattie Vaughan, of Enterprise, is spending several days in Elba with her daughter, Mrs. D. B. Adkinson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lindsey had as their guests at their cottage at Sunnyside, Fla., during the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Oggs, Mr. and Mrs. Drexel Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Mace Cook.

We are agents for GIBSON Electric Refrigerators, with a 5-year Factory guarantee. Brantley Furniture Company, phone 50, Brantley.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Hughes and attractive children, Louise, Eloise, Jennings, Evangeline and Joel, of Pensacola, Fla., were in Elba last week and were warmly greeted by their many friends.

## PIT BARBECUE PLATES BARBECUE HASH AND RICE SATURDAYS AND MONDAYS

CHICKEN AND STEAK DINNERS EVERY DAY  
BRING THE FAMILY  
STEPHENSON'S CAFE  
Between Levee and Stockyard On Troy Highway

IF YOU ARE READY TO BUILD THAT BLOCK BUILDING NOW

I CAN BUILD IT FOR YOU, OR IF YOU HAVE CONCRETE WORK OF ANY KIND YOU WANT DONE, I CAN DO THAT FOR YOU.

I ALSO DO EVERY KIND OF CARPENTER WORK. CALL ME, ALL WORK APPRECIATED.

AVERY D. JACKSON  
1 1/2 MILES FROM TOWN - BRANTLEY HWY

Probate Office in order to assure adequate light.

We have examined the various County offices, including the bonds and books and records of said offices, and find them neatly kept and handled in a commendable fashion. Our investigation disclosed that during the last six years the deficit of Coffee County has been reduced by a figure of \$338,000.00. We commend the officials responsible for making this reduction possible.

It is noted that the Honor Roll placed on the sign on the North-west corner of the Square, is in bad condition. We recommend that the proper authorities cooperate with the various clubs interested in finding a permanent place to erect a new Honor Roll.

We express our thanks to Your Honor for your able charge. We also thank the Sheriff and his deputies for their courteous attendance during our session.

And now, having completed our labors, we ask to be recessed pending the future order of the Court. This Feb. 18, 1947.

T. B. BRYAN, Foreman.

FORMAL OPENING OF NEW JEWELRY STORE SET FOR FRIDAY EVENING

Formal opening of Elba's newest business enterprise is set for Friday beginning at five o'clock and continuing to nine. This smart, new jewelry store has been named "The Jewel Box" by the owners Sonny Inman and Dozier Roberts. The store will carry a complete line of fine jewelry of every kind, and included in their stocks will be products of many nationally known manufacturers.

They have an announcement in this issue, and are also called to the congratulatory page ad from business men of the city. The public is invited to attend the formal opening. The store will be opened for business Saturday morning. It is announced that they will have a complete department in connection with the store.

Mrs. Corinne English is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Bonneau.

It is recommended that Venetian Blinds be supplied for the

inspection of the grounds of the Courthouse Square be filled in and leveled to prevent the standing of water thereon.

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## Grand Jury Returns 9 Indictments And Recommends Repairs At Court House And Jail

The Grand Jury in session at Elba last Monday and Tuesday, February 17 and 18, returned 9 indictments, five being for felonies and four for misdemeanors. The body also made a number of other recommendations, and for the benefit of our readers we are printing the full report below:

"We, the Grand Jury empaneled by Your Honor on Monday, February 17, 1947, wish to submit this as our final report.

We have investigated eighteen presentments and herewith submit to Your Honor 9 indictments, consisting of five felonies and four misdemeanors.

We have examined the County Buildings and find them generally in a fair state of repair. Our observation revealed that the public toilets in the Courthouse are in a deplorable condition, in fact, in such condition that they are a with the Public Health Laws. It is recommended that the fixtures in said toilets be replaced with new and modern equipment, and that they be recommended to comply with the Public Health Laws. In the event this repair cannot be done in the immediate future, it is suggested that said toilets be closed and locked until repairs can be made. It was also found that the floor in the Clerk's office is badly in need of repair. We suggest that such repairs be made.

An inspection of the Jail disclosed the premises to be in good repair with the exception of the fact that said building needs repainting on the outside and inside, and that the windows need repainting. We found the Jail to be sanitary and adequately kept.

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## AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERSHIP DRIVE TO CLOSE THIS WEEK

Ottis L. Cooper, State Commander of The American Legion, announced the beginning of a statewide membership drive on Feb. 10th, to extend through the month of February. Mr. Louis F. Inman, Commander, will lead the drive in Elba.

1946 Legionnaires who have not renewed their 1947 membership, as well as veterans of both wars, are invited to contact their Commander. During 1946 the Alabama Department had the largest membership in its history—nearly 54,000—and expectations for 1947 are that the membership will exceed 100,000.

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Information and plans are available on houses, barns, all out buildings, storage, heating, wiring, landscaping, on fence construction, gates, and many other useful items needed by the farm.

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## Red Cross Fund Drive Starts March 1; Runs Through Month; Committees Are Named

JAMES P. CAIN IS WITH THE 8TH ARMY NOW IN SOUTHERN JAPAN

With the Eighth Army in Korea, Kyushu, Japan, Feb. 7, Private James P. Cain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cain, Route 4, Elba, has recently been assigned to the 83rd Field Artillery Battalion, a unit within the 24th Infantry Division. The 24th, known also as the "Victory" Division, is now occupying the entire island of Kyushu, southernmost and third largest of the Japanese home group.

James P. Cain entered the Army on October 1, 1946, at Fort McClellan, Alabama, and prior to overseas shipment, received basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Upon his arrival in the 24th Division area, Cain found many improvement projects under construction. In an effort to make life overseas equal to that of a soldier stationed in the United States, the "Victory" Division has been equipped with modern living quarters and the best recreation and amusement facilities available.

Business District—Dozier Roberts, Dr. J. M. Kimmey, Jake Bonneau, Tommy Thompson, Paxton Miles, Charles Hayes, Sam Sawyer, Bill Maddox, Robert Cooper, Robert Marsh, James Wise.

Dorsey Plant—Charlie Lunsford, Jack Sondergaard.

The quota set for the Negroes' Work was \$750 to be under the direction of Rev. Gray and other outstanding colored leaders.

Although the month of March has been set apart for this Fund Drive, the committees will make an effort to get much of the work done during the first two weeks.

Zadie Rowe, Publicity Chm.

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Furniture—a big stock to select  
from at Brantley Furniture  
Co. Call John B. Wise.

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LONG WAY  
HOME

is the  
WALKING WAY!  
TAKE CARE OF YOUR  
CAR... SOME FOLKS  
WILL BE WALKING  
BEFORE THEY GET  
NEW CARS

Until new cars are available,  
your present car absolutely must last!  
To help keep your car running smoothly,  
dependably and safely,  
bring it in to us regularly for dependable,  
economical service.

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Watch Repairing  
— TO —  
FINE WATCHES  
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No Clock Work No Work On Cheap Watches

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MR. FARMER!

WE ARE NOW READY TO SHELL YOUR  
VELVET BEANS AND FIELD PEAS ON OUR  
NEW AND MOST MODERN PEA AND BEAN  
HULLER.

WE WILL ALSO RECLEAN YOUR BLUE  
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ONES.

WE WILL HAVE A LIMITED AMOUNT OF  
SEED PEANUTS, BOTH RUNNER AND SPANISH  
SHELLED AND TREATED.

— SEE US FOR YOUR SEED NEEDS —  
Carter Bros. Mfg. Co.  
BRUNDIDGE, ALA. ROUTE 1  
OPEN SIX DAYS A WEEK

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The service we render is  
never standard—but  
varies with every case  
to fit details of religious  
faith—of family custom  
and individual taste. Ad-  
herence to this policy—  
plus a sincere desire to  
meet economic needs—  
is, perhaps, the reason  
why we are so frequently  
called upon.

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FUNERAL DIRECTORS  
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Brought Coffee to U. S.  
Captain John Smith, the founder  
of Virginia, is said to have been the  
first to bring coffee to America in  
1607. The first license to sell coffee  
was not issued in the United  
States until 1870.

MORTGAGE SALE  
State of Alabama, Coffee County.  
Whereas, Elba B. Brantley, executor  
of G. W. Clark on, to-wit, John  
S. 1940, a mortgage upon the real  
estate hereinafter described, be-  
tween 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4  
o'clock, P. M. on the 17th day of  
March, 1947, at auction to the  
highest bidder for cash, in front  
of the Court House door of Col-  
fey County, in the State of Al-  
abama, the real estate embraced  
in said mortgage described sub-  
stantially as follows:

One five-room dwelling situated  
on lots No. 19-20 known as out  
home in the Atkins Addition to  
the Town of Kinston, Alabama.  
Said sale will be made for the  
purpose of realizing the mortgage  
debt, together with all expenses of  
this sale, including a reasonable  
attorney's fee.

G. W. CLARK,  
f12-20-27 Mortgagee and Owner

WHAT ABOUT THIS?  
Are you happy or are you a constant  
sufferer from indigestion, flatulency,  
heartburn, gas, acid, sour stomach,  
constipation, etc. etc. etc. You must  
improve your condition. If you will  
take a bottle of S&S Tonic before you  
eat, you will find it most helpful. It  
will watch your stomach and keep it  
in good shape.

Publication  
State of Alabama, Coffee County.  
Probate Court, Coffee County,  
Alabama. Estate of George W.  
Deal, Deceased. Feb. 15, 1947.  
This day came Susie O. Deal, nee  
administratrix of George W. Deal,  
Deceased, and filed in this court  
her account and vouchers for a  
final settlement of said estate;  
and the 8th day of March, 1947,  
having been appointed by the  
Court for examining, auditing and  
allowing the same, notice is hereby  
given to all persons interested to  
appear on said day and contest  
the same, if they think proper.  
J. O. ENGLISH,  
f20-23-m-6 Judge of Probate.

Renew your subscription  
Risky in  
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Retained undigested food becomes  
putrefactive, causes toxins, which  
overload the liver and other vital  
organs of the body, lessening your re-  
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can take Calotabs? Calotabs thoroughly  
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## MUSIC LOVERS' CLUB MET IN KENDRICK HOME

The February program of the  
Elba Music Lovers' Club was pre-  
sented on Thursday afternoon, in  
the home of Mrs. T. D. Kendrick  
with Mrs. R. L. Cooper and Mrs.  
Charles Rowe, co-hostesses. The  
reception rooms were most attrac-  
tive in decoration of early spring  
flowers. The meeting was called  
to order by Mrs. A. C. Dunaway,  
president, who conducted a short  
business session, during which two  
new members were unanimously  
elected.

Mrs. Kendrick was Program  
Chairman for the afternoon and  
gave an interesting paper on the  
"Life of Brahms"; "Cradle Songs  
of Brahms" sung by Ann Dun-  
away and Jean Windham, guest ar-  
tists, accompanied by Mrs. Frank  
Perdue, who well rendered and  
much enjoyed. "Master Lesson on  
the Brahms Rhapsody" read by  
Mrs. J. C. Fleming was very in-  
teresting; Choral practice directed  
by Mrs. Edwin Cooper concluded  
the program.

A social hour followed during  
which the hostesses served a de-  
lectable salad course with an iced  
fruit drink to the club members  
and several visitors.

Short Mortgages, two for 5c at  
Clipper Office.

## Go to Church Sunday.

Hybrid Yield  
Three-fourths of the 1945 corn  
crop came from only two-thirds of  
the acreage planted to corn. The  
reason: This acreage was in hy-  
brid seed.

Destroying Sandspurs  
A lawn or other area may be  
cleared of sandspurs by destroying  
the nest plants before they get to  
seed or by turning the soil to a  
depth of about eight inches.

Grateful Housing Victim  
A Los Angeles appliance dealer  
reports that a victim of the housing  
situation left a thank you note and  
a dollar bill after sleeping several  
nights in an empty refrigerator case  
at the rear of his store.

IF YOU NEED  
GLASSES  
It Will Pay You to Wait For  
BARSON!

After all, it's the examination that counts. Correct, scientific  
examination of your eyes is the ONLY way to determine  
whether or not you need glasses.

My knowledge in fitting glasses, gained through years of  
practice, has given me a State-wide reputation. Among your  
relatives and acquaintances you will find somebody who will  
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Must Help or It Will Cost You Nothing  
Over two million bottles of the WILLARD  
Tonic have been sold for relief of  
symptoms of distress arising from stomach  
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Gas, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, etc.,  
due to Excess Acid. Sold on 15 days' trial  
for "Willard's Message" which fully  
explains this treatment—Free—At  
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effort, combined with  
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Hayes Funeral Home  
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For All Brown-Service and  
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Our velvet bean sheller is now  
running. Bring your beans right  
away, as we will shell only a few  
weeks.

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Cool  
Well Tailored  
Wrinkle-less

—they wear



TROPICAL SUITS

When watching the men who are care-  
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their clothes; find they have selected  
Mirror-Test Tropical Suits... The suit that  
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## Body Helps Destroy Self

Develops Substances Which  
Attack Tissues of Its  
Own Vital Organs.

San Francisco. — That  
the human body in building up resis-  
tance to germs or other foreign in-  
truders sometimes automatically  
develops substances capable of  
destroying tissues of its own vital  
organs, is a new concept of disease  
which has at least been partially  
confirmed in the University of Cal-  
ifornia research laboratory, says  
the Associated Press.

Rats given injections of strepto-  
coccus vaccine mixed with an ex-  
tract of rat kidney developed not  
only antibodies against "strep" in-  
fection but also produced sub-  
stances which destroyed parts of  
their own kidney. This destructive  
process is called glomeruloneph-  
ritis.

The various forms of nephritis,  
the medical term for degenerative  
kidney trouble, rank sixth among  
the diseases which take human life.

The laboratory findings showed  
that the apparently innocent kidney  
extract rather than the supposed-  
ly wicked streptococcus was re-  
sponsible for the destruction.

However, the presence of the  
strep or some other foreign sub-  
stance was necessary to start the  
kidney substance on its rampage.

Interesting Results  
The work was done by Dr. Philip  
A. Cavelli, immunologist of the uni-  
versity's Hooper foundation for  
medical research, and Mrs. Ca-  
velli. The results were reported in  
the Archives of Pathology, a pub-  
lication of the American Medical  
association.

A revolutionary phase of the re-  
search is the showing that bits of  
tissue detached from the kidney  
of an individual animal, upon  
passing through that same animal's  
blood, could produce antibodies po-  
tentially detrimental to the very or-  
gan from which the fragments origi-  
nated.

Medical researchers long have  
known that bits of tissue from an  
animal injected into another animal  
could produce antibodies which  
would produce antibodies poten-  
tially destructive toward the  
tissues of the donor animal.

But until recent years it had been  
taken for granted that tissues would  
not produce antibodies against  
their own kind or their own species.

One at a Time  
Dr. Cavelli's finding that animals  
of the same species can produce  
antibodies hostile to their own tis-  
sues raised the question whether de-  
generative diseases such as glom-  
erulonephritis can develop from an  
ordinary result of the invasion of the  
body by a foreign substance.

Although the experiments were  
confined to animals, they suggest  
that something similar might hap-  
pen in humans.

If this is true, there is one big  
factor which prevents wholesale de-  
struction of body tissues in cases  
where several different kinds of  
antibodies have been developed in  
the system.

This factor is the fastidiousness  
of antibodies in general. They  
are highly specific—that is, they  
usually work on only one substance,  
the one which causes their origin.

The potential danger, if any, lies  
in the possible instances where an-  
tibodies form not only protection  
against infection but also give rise  
to antibody-like substances which  
may adversely affect the body's  
own tissues.

Dr. Cavelli is continuing his work  
in an effort to clear up some of  
these uncertainties.

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Wise in Brantley.

Tubes in Robot  
The army's mathematical robot,  
Electronic Numerical Integrator  
and Computer, has 18,000 electronic  
tubes, compared with 10 in the aver-  
age radio, 400 in the largest radar  
set and fewer than 800 in a B-29.

Does Stomach  
Gas and Bloat  
Make You Feel  
Miserable?

If so, here is how you may get blessed  
relief in treating your stomach from  
this nervous disease. It works this way:  
Everytime food enters the stomach  
it is broken down into small particles.  
If the food is not properly digested,  
it may ferment, sour, produce gas, in-  
digestion and may frequently cause a mor-  
bid, starchy, flatulent, nervous  
condition. Loss of appetite, underweight,  
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to a non-organic stomach disturbance.  
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which contains special and potent ac-  
tivating ingredients.

S&S Tonic helps build-up non-  
organic, weak, watery blood in in-  
total anemia—With a good flow of  
this gastric juice, you will find that  
your stomach will eat better, sleep better,  
and you will feel better.

Avoid punishing yourself with over-  
eating and avoid all stimulants so  
you can digest food for body strength and  
vitality. Don't wait until the last of  
the rainy season. S&S Tonic is the best  
thing you can take today. Get a bottle of  
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BAPTIST CIRCLE MET  
IN BARACA ROOM  
The Willie Kelley Circle met in  
the Baraca Room on February 10,  
with Mrs. E. G. Bragg, presiding.  
Mrs. O. M. Fox gave the devo-  
tional and Mrs. Arthur Boutwell  
led in prayer. Mission Study  
"Shining Like The Stars" was  
given by Mrs. Fred Harper. The  
meeting was dismissed with the  
watchword—Mrs. Yates, Rep.

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A new electric meter, designed  
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LESSON FOR MARCH 2  
Lesson subjects and Scripture texts se-  
lected for use in the Sunday School  
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JESUS SUMS UP HIS CLAIMS  
LESSON TEXT—John 12:12-16, 20-22.  
MEMORY SELECTION—John 1:1.  
The last week of our Lord's mis-  
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Presenting himself as their Mes-  
siah, Jesus received the enthusiastic  
response of his disciples and friends,  
who were probably joined by others  
drawn by the excitement.

The Pharisees did not join in (see  
Luke 19:39, 40), nor did the city, not  
even knowing who he was (Matt.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Hughes, of 4130 15th South, Seattle, Wash., announce the birth of a baby girl on Sunday, Feb. 9, the Swedish hospital in Seattle. She was given the name, Janelle.

Mr. J. V. Wise, of Columbus, former Coffee County resident, visited relatives and friends in the county this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Lovick, of Montgomery, were week end guests of Mrs. Lovick's mother, Mrs. E. E. Vaughn.

30-Gallon Electric Water Heaters. Call John B. Wise at Brantley Furniture Co.

Mrs. Otto Rowe, of Enterprise, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Han, the first of the week.

### Forest Management Pays Big Dividends

The forest income of Coffee county could be increased by better forest management. How many farmers think of keeping their best cotton grown for home use? If a farmer needs cotton for home use they use the last picking, and sell the better cotton for the higher prices. The same thing is true of timber, a good tree will bring more money on the market than a crooked or decayed one. Black jack, crooked pines and all diseased trees should be used for fuel wood on the farm. When these trees are cut it helps the forest in two ways.

1. The good tree left has a better chance to grow. It gets the strength of the soil that two were getting.

2. It gives a chance for the young trees of better quality to come in the opening made by cutting the low quality trees.

One thing the timber grower should keep in mind at all times, pine timber is our best source. Only times like we have seen for the past five years will show quality hardwoods sell at a good price. In cutting timber this should be kept in mind and enough good pines be left on the land to succeed the area. Four to eight trees per acre will supply enough seed to get a good stand of seedlings. These seed trees are not a loss to the timber grower after the area is seeded and the young trees begin to grow the seed trees can be cut and sold. This method is much cheaper and safer for the timber than planting seedlings by hand.

Coffee county has improved its quality of all crops in the past ten years. The county grows better cotton, corn, and hay and better live stock of all kinds. The county not only produces better quality crops of all kinds but it makes more per acre, more than any time in the history of the county. The same can be done in the forest of Coffee county. It will take time as it has with other crops. Until we have improved the forest as other crops have been improved we have something to work for.

In 1942 we had a production of about 12,000,000 board feet. The income from timber sales and labor was about one half million dollars that year. The acreage we had in timber and the good growing conditions it is possible to double this income and volume per year. This can be done by fire protection and good cutting methods.

The best method to use in marketing timber is to mark and cut selectively. This way the grower has a chance to leave the better quality young growing trees. In selling timber this way the seller and buyer each know the number of trees by kind and the volume of each. It will leave the area in shape for another cut within ten years. This keeps saw mill operators in business and the other timber grower, too.

The Division of Forestry is glad to help with any timber management job the grower has. We have marked several small tracts for cutting. The saw mill operator and the growers were both satisfied with the tracts after they were marked.

Discuss your factory problems with your District Forester, Box 392, Union Springs, Alabama, or Forest Ranger W. J. Conway, Elba, Alabama.

Wood Ranges, 6 Eyes with white porcelain finish. See or call Brantley Furniture Co.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reeves, regret to learn of their illness at their home on Smith Avenue, and wish them an early recovery.

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**SATURDAY—ALL DAY**

Sunset Carson

**"RED RIVER RENEGADES"**

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**SATURDAY—LATE SHOW**

Paul Kelly - Kent Taylor

**"DEAD LINE FOR MURDER"**

Western - Serial

**SUNDAY AND MONDAY**

Randolph Scott - Ann Dvorak

**"ABILENE TOWN"**

**TUESDAY ONLY**

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Mr. and Mrs. Lander Curreton and children and Mrs. C. S. West, of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, of Opp, were guests during the week end of Mrs. John M. Bonneau and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan were visitors to Troy and Montgomery last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pinckard and William, Jr., of Enterprise, visited the W. M. Brunson family in Elba Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Pittman, Jr., of Tuscaloosa, is in Elba on account of the illness of her father, W. M. Brunson.

Mrs. Sara Carney, who is with the Department of Industrial Relations in Montgomery came home for the week end.

Miss Mae Harper who has been in Troy for several months at Edge hospital, was called to Elba, on account of the critical illness of Mr. W. M. Brunson and is now in attendance at his bedside.

### ROSEN AMUSEMENTS WILL OPEN SPRING FESTIVAL HERE, MARCH 1 THROUGH 8

H. B. Rosen, general manager and proprietor of the H. B. Rosen Amusements, announces that after spending over 2 hectic months at his Elba winter quarters, putting his show in proper condition, at a considerable expense, he is now ready to present it in its Spring Festival Opening for the entertainment of the people of Elba and vicinity.

The shows are being sponsored by the Elba Fire Department, which is trying to raise funds for additional equipment. Hon. L. P. Mullins, Mayor of Elba, has graciously given a free license, to the Fire Department for this occasion.

The shows will be opened on the Blue lot, located one block from the courthouse. It will open at 10 A. M. Saturday, March 1, and will continue through Saturday, March 8. There will be a special matinee for children, at half price, on Saturday, March 8th, from 1:30 to 5:00 P. M.

Among new attractions, Mr. Rosen will present the sensational "EXCELLOS" (free act nightly), who will perform their aerial act 135 feet in the air without the aid of a net. Also "Haggy" Jack Davis and his "Cotton Club Revue". Other attractions include a new Deluxe Bingo, various modern rides, shows, high class merchandise concessions, etc., that make up a modern up-to-date show.

Through the courtesy of The Clipper, Mr. Rosen is grateful for the opportunity at this time, to express his sincerest thanks to all officials, merchants and tradesmen of the City of Elba, who have directly or indirectly helped him for the past two months in getting his show in shape.

Army Range for wood or coal; desirable for Cafe or lunch room. Brantley Furniture Company.

Mrs. Duke Beall who has been the guest of Mrs. J. M. Garrott for several days left last Thursday for Ozark where she will visit her niece.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pinckard, of Long Beach, Fla., are visiting the W. M. Brunson family. Mrs. Pinckard is the sister of Mrs. Brunson.

Mrs. J. R. Oggs, Sr., of Birmingham, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Oggs at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Whitman.

Land Rent Notes, 2 for 5c at Clipper Office.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Bowers, of Jay, Fla., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Tillman recently.

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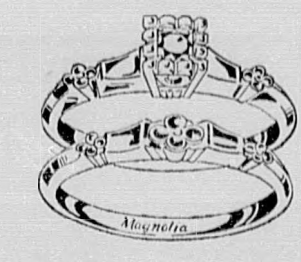
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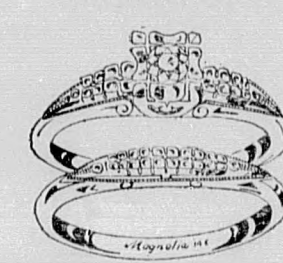
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First Life Policy

The earliest known life insurance policy was issued in 1883. It followed strictly the form of marine insurance, which had been in common use since the Middle Ages.

**Conservation Practices Approved**

Colin R. Wise, chairman of the Coffee County PMA Committee, has announced that the State Committee has approved their recommendations for the following local conservation practices:

Establishing a satisfactory cover of small grains or rye grass seeded in fall of 1947 and the growth not harvested for grain or hay.

The payment for small grains is two cents per pound and the payment rate for rye grass is nine cents per pound.

Mr. Wise states that he feels "there has long been a definite need for this practice" and urges all farmers to take advantage of this offer. You should see your local community committee or county PMA office for details.

W. F. Baker states that there is more interest in Crop Insurance being shown by farmers than in any previous year since Crop Insurance has been offered. The closing date for taking applications is March 15. You should make sure your investment in your 1947 crop is insured before it is too late.

**THEIR'S HOW CROP INSURANCE PROGRAM APPLIES TO FARM**

Jim Farmer rents land in Coffee county. In 1947 he plans to plant 11 acres in cotton. Jim's normal crop runs about one-half bale to the acre.

He doesn't think of insurance as an investment, but rather as protection on the money he's going to have tied up in the crop. He figures that the total cost, including rent will run about \$30.00 an acre.

He finds out that he can take out a \$4-pound, 126 pound or 157 pound lint cotton policy. The 126-pound policy would about take care of the money he figures to have tied up in the cotton crop.

In the Spring Jim plants his 11 acres of cotton and everything goes pretty good until July the boll weevil and heavy rains almost cause him to lose the crop. Jim does have a few bolls left though, so at harvest time he

picks over his cotton and finds out that 60 pounds per acre is all he's going to harvest.

One hundred twenty-six pounds lint cotton would give Jim about \$34.00 guaranteed income per acre. Total cost on the cotton crop was \$30.00, plus \$3.31 for insurance or a total of \$33.31 per acre. Thus by having insurance Jim not only broke even, but had \$.50 left over. If Jim hadn't taken out insurance, he would have lost about \$18.00 per acre on his cotton crop. Multiply this by 11 acres and you see that crop insurance save Jim from going in the hole \$200.00.

The average cotton yield in Coffee county is 213 pounds per acre. This means that the average farmer in Coffee county can get a protection policy of 126 pounds at a cost of 13 pounds lint. Putting it another way,



Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Hughes, of 4130 15th South, Seattle, Wash., announce the birth of a baby girl on Sunday, Feb. 9, the Swedish hospital in Seattle. She was given the name, Janell.

Mr. J. V. Wise, of Columbus, former Coffee County resident, visited relatives and friends in the county this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Lovick, of Montgomery, were week end guests of Mrs. Lovick's mother, Mrs. E. E. Vaughn.

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Mr. Otto Rowe, of Enterprise, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ham, the first of the week.

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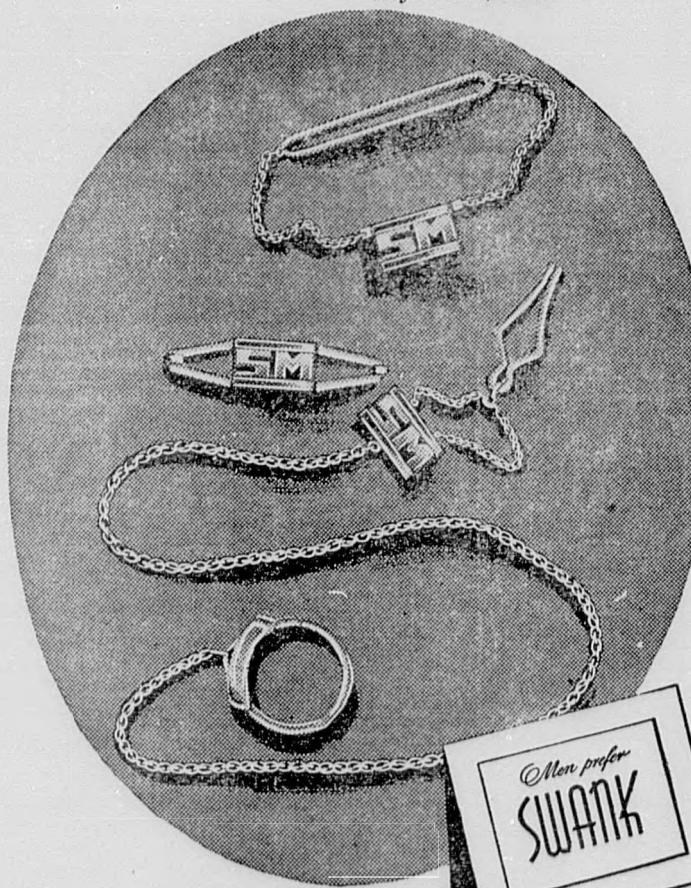
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## Forest Management Pays Big Dividends

The forest income of Coffee county could be increased by better forest management. How many farmers think of keeping the best cotton grown for home use?

If a farmer needs cotton for home use they use the last picking, and sell the better cotton for the higher prices.

The same thing is true of timber, a good tree will bring more money on the market than a crooked or decayed one. Black jack oak, crooked pines and all diseased trees should be used for fuel wood on the farm. When these trees are cut it helps the forest in two ways.

1. The good tree left has a better chance to grow. It gets the strength of the soil that two were getting.

2. It gives a chance for the young trees of better quality to come in the opening made by cutting the low quality tree.

One thing the timber grower should keep in mind at all times, pine timber is our best seller. Only times like we have seen for the past five years will show quality hardwoods sell at a good price. In cutting timber this should be kept in mind and enough good pines be left on the land to reseed the area. Four to eight trees per acre will supply enough seed to get a good stand of seedlings. These seed trees are not a loss to the timber grower after the area is seeded and the young trees begin to grow the seed trees can be cut and sold. This method is much cheaper and safer for the timber than planting seedlings by hand.

Coffee county has improved its quality of all crops in the past ten years. The county grows better cotton, corn, and hay and better live stock of all kinds. The county not only produces better quality crops of all kinds but it makes more per acre, more than any time in the history of the county. The same can be done in the forest of Coffee county. It will take time as it has with other crops. Until we have improved the forest as other crops have been improved we have something to work for.

In 1942 we had a production of about 12,000,000 board feet. The income from timber sales and labor was about one half million dollars that year. The acreage we had in timber and the good growing conditions it is possible to double this income and volume per year. This can be done by fire protection and good cutting methods.

The best method to use in marketing timber is to mark and cut selectively. This way the grower has a chance to leave the better quality young growing trees. In selling timber this way the seller and buyer each know the number of trees by kinds and the volume of each. It will leave the area in shape for another cut within ten years. This keeps saw mill operators in business and the other timber grower, too.

The Division of Forestry is glad to help with any timber management job the grower has. We have marked several small tracts for cutting. The saw mill operator and the growers were both satisfied with the tracts after they were marked.

Discuss your factory problems with your District Forester, Box 392, Union Springs, Alabama, or Forest Ranger W. J. Conway, Elba, Alabama.

Wood Ranges, 6 Eyes with white porcelain finish. See or call Brantley Furniture Co.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reeves regret to learn of their illness at their home on Smith Avenue, and wish them an early recovery.

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"JOHNNY COMES FLYING HOME"

Also

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"THUNDER TOWN"

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SATURDAY—ALL DAY

Sunset Carson

—In—

"RED RIVER RENEGADES"

Serial and Comedy

SATURDAY—LATE SHOW

Paul Kelley - Kent Taylor

—In—

"DEAD LINE FOR MURDER"

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY

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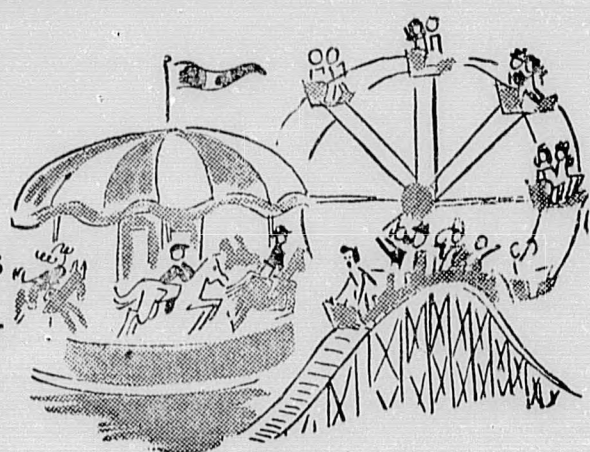
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#### FOUR TRAINING SCHOOLS HELD FOR 4-H OFFICERS

Four training schools were con-  
ducted during the last week in  
January for newly elected 4-H  
Club officers in the County. The  
schools were held at New Hope,  
Zion Chapel, Goodman and Curtis,  
and were attended by officers of  
clubs in these schools and sur-  
rounding schools. A total of some

105 officers from 40 boys and girls  
4-H clubs were present at these  
meetings during the week.

One half day was spent in train-  
ing at each school. The meetings  
consisted of one general session,  
four special instruction group  
meetings, and one routine club  
meeting in which new officers  
demonstrated correct parliamen-  
tary procedure. Special groups  
were instructed by W. T. Kennedy

and J. L. Thompson, assistant  
farm agents, Miss Mamie B. Math-  
ews, home demonstration agent,  
and Miss Inez Green, assistant  
home agent.

Special attentions were shown  
these 4-H groups at both New  
Hope and Goodman. At New Hope  
the officers were served a special  
luncheon with the compliments of  
Mr. Sterling Willoughby and the  
entire school.

While at Goodman the officers  
enjoyed refreshments at mid-  
morning. They were prepared  
and served by Mr. Looklar, 4-H  
local leaders and 4-H club mem-  
bers of Goodman school.

#### Milk A Cleaner

Skim milk is a good cleaner for  
paper lampshades. While water  
softens and may break or damage  
the paper, milk does not pene-  
trate paper readily and slips over  
the surface carrying soil with it.  
First, dust the shade with a soft  
clean cloth, brush, or hand vacu-  
um cleaner. Then sponge the sur-  
face very lightly with a cloth dip-  
ped in milk. The milk should  
not stand on the shade or moisten  
the glue.

Go to Church Sunday.

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#### 4-H Meetings

A joint meeting of the Boys'  
and Girls' Senior 4-H clubs was  
held in the Junior III Classroom  
of New Hope Junior High School,  
on Friday, February 7.

The demonstration lesson was  
on "Safety in the Home" and  
cleverly presented in the form of  
a play. Taking part in the demon-  
stration was Kaye Leks, Drucette  
Killingsworth, and Jimmy Dean  
Jordan.

The club had a distinguished  
visitor T. A. Sims, of Auburn, who  
was introduced by the president,  
Joe Horace Lott. Mr. Sims, who is  
prominent in State 4-H Club work,  
gave an enthusiastic talk that was  
quite an inspiration to all the club  
members.

Other program features were  
vocal duets rendered by Angela  
Pittman and Betsy Ann Wilson, and  
some clever games and stunts di-  
rected by Doris Evelyn Ward.  
The county farm and home

demonstration agents, Miss Inez  
Green, and W. T. Kennedy, were  
present. In attendance also were  
the local leaders, Mrs. Jimmie P.  
Prestwood and J. S. Willoughby.  
Jimmie Wilson  
Ewell D. Griswold  
Reporters.

The Goodman 4-H Club met  
jointly, boys and girls, February  
10, 1947. The meeting was called  
to order with President Bobby  
Bowden presiding. Leon Barnes,  
Colman Helms, and Eleanor Wil-  
son, the song leaders, led two  
songs. There were 22 members  
present. The roll was called by  
Laura Jean Wilson and Tommie  
Johnson. Then the club was turned  
over to the people who gave the  
demonstration. They were —  
Dene Cochran, Tommie Johnson,  
Harold Glisson. For recreation the  
club sang a few new songs.  
Betty Walls  
Senior Reporter

Go To Church Sunday.

Increase Heating Capacity  
Bulletin fireplace circulators can  
increase the heating capacity, but  
do not replace central heating sys-  
tems.

Long State  
Illinois is a long state, extending  
from 37 degrees latitude in the south  
to approximately 42 degrees and 30  
seconds in the extreme north.

## The Harmony Boys

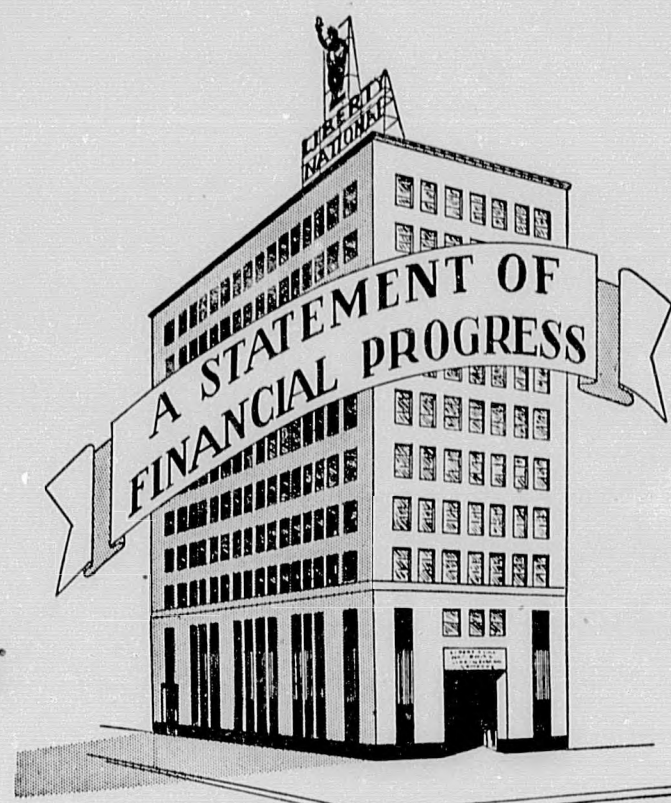
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Insurance in Force Increased  
During the Year **\$61,440,486.00**

TOTAL  
RESOURCES **\$44,018,985.18**

Resources Increased During  
the Year **\$8,901,897.71**

#### RESOURCES

At Dec. 31, 1946

Cash .....	\$ 2,668,161.20
U. S. Government Bonds .....	17,207,834.54
Other Bonds .....	4,116,054.54
Stocks .....	908,452.79
F. H. A. Insured Mortgages .....	8,918,711.83
Other First Mortgages .....	8,277,066.31
Policy Loans .....	901,052.72
Home Office Properties .....	401,180.49
Other Real Estate .....	39,100.34
Premiums in Course of Collection .....	127,470.14
Interest & Rents Due & Accrued .....	125,561.02
Other Assets .....	328,389.26

TOTAL RESOURCES **\$44,018,985.18**

#### ALLOCATION OF RESOURCES

Taxes & Miscellaneous Liabilities .....	\$ 654,545.91
Held in Trust for Policyholders .....	38,463,880.76
Employee's Retirement Reserve .....	365,176.36
Capital & Surplus for Additional Protection of Policy- holders .....	4,535,382.14

TOTAL **\$44,018,985.18**

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Regular 10c Pudding Mix, all brands, 7c or 3 for . . . . .	20c
Pasteurized Milk, Qt. . . . .	21c
White Label Coffee, pure . . . . .	35c
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